

Application No. 09/965,137
Amendment dated November 11, 2005

REMARKS

Claims 1-26 are rejected as set forth in the Office Action dated July 12, 2005, and the Advisory Action dated September 30, 2005. Independent claims 1 and 7 are amended herein, and their respective dependent claims 3-6, and claims 9-12, 15, 16, 19 and 24 are also amended herein. Claims 1-26 are thus pending.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

Prior Claim Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. §103

The previously presented claims were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as follows:

claims 1-3, 5-9, and 13-19 were rejected based on Marmor (U.S. 6,601,108, hereinafter "Marmor") in view of Carlino et al. (WO 00/39666, hereinafter "Carlino");

claims 4 and 10 were rejected based on Marmor in view of Carlino, and further in view of Murata et al. (U.S. 5,987,402, hereinafter "Murata");

claims 22-25 were rejected based on Marmor in view of Carlino, and further in view of Raanan et al. (U.S. 6,311,278, hereinafter "Ranaan"), and further in view of Chin et al. (U.S. 5,825,775, hereinafter "Chin"); and

claim 26 was rejected based on Marmor in view of Carlino, and further in view of
borland.com Homepage (4/24/1999, <http://web.archive.org/web/19990424111631/http://www.borland.com/>, hereinafter "Borland").

Applicant respectfully submits that none of the aforementioned references, either individually or in combination, teach, suggest or make obvious the invention as claimed in amended independent claims 1 and 7.

Because dependent claims 2-6, and claims 8-26 related thereto include further limitations in addition to those recited in their corresponding independent claims 1 and 7, Applicants believe that all depending claims are also allowable over the cited references of record. Reconsideration of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

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CONCLUSION

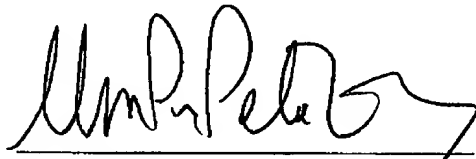
Based on the amendment and remarks set forth above, Applicants believe that the present application is in a form for allowance, and such action is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner have any question, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including petition fees and extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 23-2415 (Docket No. 24286-712).

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